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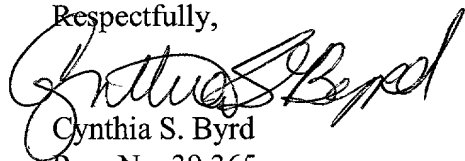
- ☒ 20 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
- ☒ 12 Pages of Claims
- ☒ 6 Sheet(s) of Drawings (INFORMAL)
- ☒ 4 Declarations and Power of Attorney
- ☒ 1 Assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation
- ☒ 1 Recordation Form Cover sheet, Form PTO-1595
- ☒ Informaiton Disclosure Statement, PTO 1449 and 16 References

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